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Delayed
Health Canada Proposed Revised Fees
for Drug Product Registrations and Maintenance

Proposed revisions to Drug Product Registration and Maintenance fees charged to industry will soon be tabled in parliament by Health Canada for legislative approval.

Once passed through committee review and accepted by Parliament, the proposed cost recovery fees would proceed through notification in Canada Gazette Parts I and II, with Health Canada's target for implementation being January 2009.

Health Canada has received input from various stakeholders and appears to be steadfastly holding to the significant increases in the various categories of fees citing the need to have the fees contribute more closely to actual operating costs of the program.

